REMARKS

The above Amendments and these Remarks are in reply to the Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 13, 2007.

I. Summary of Previous Restriction Requirement

Claims 1-69 were pending. A restriction requirement was issued, requiring Applicants to elected one of Groups I-III.

II. Applicant's Election of Species

Applicant elects Group II, claims 1, 5, 6, 15-19, 24, 28, 29, 38-42, 47, 51, 52 and 61-65 in the present application. Applicant withdraws claims 2-4, 7-14, 20-23, 25-27, 30-37, 43-46, 48-50, 53-60 and 66-69 without prejudice. In the event that generic claim is allowed, Applicants reserve the right to file additional claims directed toward the subject matter of the generic claim. Applicants also reserve the right to file divisional applications including withdrawn claims.

III. Conclusion

In light of the above, it is respectfully submitted that all of the claims now pending in the subject patent application should be allowable. The Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned if she can assist in any way in expediting issuance of a patent.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1325 for any matter in connection with this response, including any fee for extension of time, which may be required.

Respectfully submitted,

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